



**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY
INTRA-DEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE**



DATE: MARCH 31, 2010
FROM: CHIEF FARON W. SEGOTTA *7*
DPS DEPUTY SECRETARY - OPERATIONS
**TO: ALL LAW ENFORCEMENT COMMANDERS REQUESTING
AIRCRAFT**
**SUBJECT: DIRECTIVE 2010-02
AIR TASKING ORDER (ATO)**

The following information will be utilized by the on-call supervisor when tasking aircraft assignments. The on-call supervisor will ask the Chief Pilot or Pilot-in-Command the following questions:

1. What is the NMSP aircraft mission?
2. Do you have the proper aircraft to complete the mission?
 - a. A-109
 - b. Adam
 - c. C-421
 - d. C-337
3. Is the weather conducive to safely and successfully complete the mission?
4. Do you have the appropriate manpower and equipment for the flight crew?
 - a. Crew
 - b. FLIR - Forward Looking Infrared
 - c. NVG - Night Vision Goggles
 - d. Nightsun
5. Have you exercised the Composite Risk Management Procedures?
 - a. Fill out risk assessment sheet
 - b. Additional approval

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cc: Office of the Secretary
Office of Legal Affairs